

State of California  
Business, Transportation and Housing Agency  
Department of Transportation

PROGRAM AMENDMENTS  
STIP Amendment 98S-126  
Notice Item  
CTC Meeting: May 10-11, 2000

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**PROPOSED**

Agenda Item: 2.1b.(6)

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### **STIP AMENDMENT 98S-126 NOTICE**

#### **SUMMARY**

This amendment deletes a \$5,932,000 Interregional Improvement Program (IIP)-funded passing lane project on Route 46 in San Luis Obispo County and reprograms \$5,000,000 in IIP funds to a Route 46 widening project in the same location, with the remaining \$932,000 reverting to the Statewide IIP balance.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

The Department is requesting this amendment.

#### **RESOLUTION**

Resolved, that the California Transportation Commission (CTC) revise the 1998 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) at the end of the 30 day notice period as follows:

#### **Deletes:**

Project Information								
County:	CT District:	PPNO:	EA:	Element:	Const Year:	PM Back	PM Ahead	Route/Corridor
<del>San Luis Obispo</del>	<del>05</del>	<del>4542</del>	<del>45420K</del>	<del>CTCO</del>	<del>2001/2002</del>	<del>51.0</del>	<del>53.4</del>	<del>46</del>
Project Title:	<del>Lengthen Passing Lanes</del>							
Sponsor:	<del>Caltrans</del>							
Resp. Agency:	<del>Caltrans</del>							
RTPA/CTC:	<del>San Luis Obispo Council of Governments</del>							
Location:	<del>Near Cholame, East of Bitterwater Road</del>							
Description:	<del>Lengthen passing lanes (eastbound and westbound)</del>							

STIP Programming - IIP		(Dollars in Thousands)						
Component	PRIOR	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	Total
PA&ED		\$462						\$462
PS&E				\$613				\$613
R/W SUP				\$69				\$69
CON SUP					\$639			\$639
R/W					\$7			\$7
CON					\$4,142			\$4,142
TOTAL		\$462		\$682	\$4,788			\$5,932

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**And Modifies:**

<b>Project Information</b>								
County:	CT District:	PPNO:	EA:	Element:	Const Year:	PM Back	PM Ahead	Route/Corridor
San Luis Obispo	05	0227	33080K	CTCO	2004	50.2	55.9	46
Project Title:	Route 46 Widening - Shandon to east of the Route 41/46 'Wye'							
Sponsor:	Caltrans							
Resp. Agency:	Caltrans							
RTPA/CTC:	San Luis Obispo Council of Governments							
Location:	On Route 46 from 1.0 km east of the Shandon Safety Roadside Rest Area to 1.2 km east of the east junction of State Routes 41/46							
Description:	Widen from 2-lane conventional highway to 4-lane expressway and construct new interchange							

<b>STIP Programming - IIP</b>		<b>(Dollars in Thousands)</b>						
Component	PRIOR	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	Total
PA&ED			\$5,000					\$5,000
PS&E				\$5,000				\$5,000
R/W SUP								
CON SUP								
R/W								
CON								
TOTAL			\$5,000	\$5,000				\$5,000
								\$10,000

**BACKGROUND**

This amendment deletes a \$5,932,000 Interregional Improvement Program (IIP)-funded passing lane project on Route 46 in San Luis Obispo County and reprograms \$5,000,000 in IIP funds to a Route 46 widening project in the same location, with the remaining \$932,000 reverting to the Statewide IIP balance.

The passing lane project near Cholame is no longer needed because the project limits are within the Route 46 widening project, and the passing lanes would not be constructed until about the same time the widening project would be ready to go forward. In addition, due to the wider median for the widening project and different alignments, the existing passing lane project, if constructed, could not be utilized as part of the future-widening project.

The Route 46 widening project, which will widen the 2-lane highway to 4 lanes, is currently programmed for the environmental phase (PA&ED) only. The \$5,000,000 IIP funds being programmed in FY 2000-01 will fund the design (PS&E) component, with funding for the right of way (R/W) and construction phases to be programmed in future STIPs. The estimated cost for the R/W and Construction phases, including support, is \$70,000,000.

**ATTACHMENT**

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Location Map



05-San Luis Obispo- 46  
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Location: Near Shandon Rest Area on Route 46 to east of  
Cholame, near Route 41/46 Wye

Description: Widen from two-lane highway to four-lane  
expressway and construct new interchange

